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EVERY MAN MUST SPEED UP

Never so much as right now has it been so necessary for every workman to put every ounce of his energy into his job; to bring his productive ability up to its highest mark and to keep it there.

Never has so much been demanded of him and never has he been so well paid for what he does. Nor has his financial condition, generally speaking, ever been better.

Never has his part in the National welfare been greater.

For upon what he produces by the work of his hands must in a great measure come success in the winning of this war and the perpetuation of our free government. Without clothing, the supplies, the armament and guns, the schrapnel and shells which he is making the coal he digs and the hundred and one other things that come from mine and workshop, the boys at the front cannot strike their hardest and most telling blows.

And not the least of the duties of the workman is to appreciate this. Once appreciating it he will gauge his actions accordingly.

Before the war the normal productive capacity of the United States was about \$30,000,000,000. Some 2,000,000 men have been withdrawn from productive enterprises and sent to the front. And the demands of the war have pushed the productive requirements far and away in excess of former figures.

So with 2,000,000 men taken from the mines and workshops the former standard of productivity must yet be surpassed, and this may be done only by every man staying on the job giving it every ounce of his energy and speeding up the output to the very limit of human capacity.

Boiled down this means that every man must speed up.

He must do his level best every minute of the day.

Which in turn means shortening the war and saving lives.

SHLK HATS AND SUGAR BOWLS.

They say that you can find out where the rabbit really goes if you keep your eyes on the magician's hands instead of his face. I don't know. I never can stop watching that dazzling smile and the rabbit disappears while I'm not looking.

Recently my sugar has developed a rabbit-like tendency to vanish. I examined the bowl carefully for a leak but it was like the silk hat of the state—not a hole to be found. Still that snowy heap would trickle out somehow.

Undoubtedly it was a trick bowl. The sugar didn't leak out, and no one meant to take more than his share. Yet here it was Friday, with two days to go before we were supposed to have used up that sugar and the bottom of the bowl was already in sight.

I determined to find out where the sugar went. So for two weeks the family played detective, with a password of "keep your eye on the bowl." If I put sugar on my cereal that was noticed and considered as part of my sugar allowance for the day. If, engaged in conversation, I put an extra spoonful into my coffee it was checked up against me.

That noticing idea in fact took the trick. Watch the sugar bowl instead of your dish. Remember the other fellow instead of your own coffee cup, and the sugar doesn't disappear.

Since watching that bowl, I'm rather inclined to believe that the magicians don't have false bottoms to the rhats. Anyhow, when the next slight-of-hand artist comes to town, I'm going to see if I can be as successful in finding out what he does with that rabbit as I was in finding out how my sugar disappeared.

PROOF OF WISDOM.

The first characteristic of a good and wise man at his work is to know that he knows very little; to perceive that there are many above him wiser than he; and to be always asking questions, wanting to learn, not to teach.—Roskin.

Not Scared by Cry of "Fad."

The wise man—the man who thinks—is not afraid of anything, new or old, because it may seemingly be referred to as a "fad." He examines it to see if it is a good fad or a bad fad and accepts or rejects it accordingly.

THOMPSON SHOT BY UNKNOWN PARTY

Coroner HeSean held an inquest Monday evening to inquire into the death of James Thompson, colored. He was shot Wednesday night last at Winton. The jurors were Joseph Chalfant, C. S. VanVoorhis, S. R. Crawford, Jacob Myers, S. R. Frye and Joseph Entrott. After hearing a number of witnesses the jury returned a verdict that the deceased came to his death from shock and hemorrhage caused by a gunshot wound, and further that the shot was fired by an unknown party. It was recommended that the records be turned over to the Westmoreland county authorities for further investigation.

It is said that Thompson was in Pittsburgh on Wednesday last in company with two other colored men; that he had considerable money on his person and that he spent freely on the companions. When he returned home he had \$38 and a gold watch, but after the shooting these were missing. The party arrived from Pittsburgh on the 9 o'clock car and walked across the Monessen bridge. It is said Thompson's companions wanted him to visit a questionable resort and he balked at the idea; and after his refusal it is believed the shooting took place. Thompson it is said told this story to the street car conductor on his way to Belle Vernon and from where he was brought to the local hospital. He is also alleged to have said that one of his companions referred to as "Red" was the one who shot him.

NO DOUBTING HIS MEANING

Corporal's Words Must Have Contained Full Information Even to the Most Unintelligent.

This week's story from the front: A certain company sergeant major was not popular with his men. They accused him of having cold feet.

One day the company went into a rest camp 20 miles behind the firing line, where it was an impossibility any shells could reach them. The ground, however, was very waterlogged, and a fatigue party was detailed to dig a drainage trench.

Presently a sergeant happened to pass that way.

"What are you digging there?" he shouted to the corporal in charge of the job.

A grimy face, from which the sweat was pouring, popped up from the trench. It belonged to one of the sergeant major's most persistent and relentless adversaries.

"Diggin' a communication trench from the sergeant's mess to the sergeant major's dugout," he shouted, in a voice well within hearing of the mess tent, at the entrance to which the N. C. O. in question was standing.—Pearson's Weekly.

POSTAL SYSTEM IN DISARRAY

German Government at Its Wit's End to Stop Thievery From the Goods in Transit.

Extraordinary steps have been taken by the German government to call a halt to the thievery within the postal system. It was claimed that out of ten parcels sent three would disappear. Packages to soldiers at the front containing food, delicacies and clothing would disappear more frequently than any other shipments. All appeals to the patriotic spirit of the thieves were of no avail. The percentage of thefts increased steadily. Finally the government was compelled to take drastic and systematic measures. The military branch was called in and stations of control manned by non-commissioned officers and soldiers were planted at principal railroad points in the empire. The employment of mere youths is blamed for the deterioration of the postal service. Practically all the employees of military age had to join the army and their places were filled by boys and girls. Besides, the scarcity of food tempts many to steal.

"What have you got?" asked the parson of the chauffeur who rang his doorbell. "One pair," replied the chauffeur, beckoning to the eloping couple to come forward.—Boston Transcript.

Man's Real Objects in Life.

Men ought not to be steam engines, nor to work like them, though that seems to be a prevalent notion. They are born to love and feel, to imagine and aspire.—Selected.

No man has a right to make of his past life a stumbling block, an obstruction in his way of going forward to a new and higher life.—H. W. Beecher.

The Acid Test.

A man should not be considered fat or old as long as he has perfect confidence in a belt.—Diaphoria Gazette.

Many Speak Portuguese.

The Portuguese language is used by about 20,000,000 persons.

NOW CALLED NICKEL-SILVER

Well-Known Metal Has Been Relieved From the Onquity of Bearing a German Name.

One of the largest metal-handling concerns in this country has recently changed the name of the alloy heretofore known as German silver, and is now marketing this commodity as nickel-silver, and a publication devoted to the metal industry suggests that the word silver be eliminated entirely, for there is no silver in the combination. This publication says: "If the nickel is taken from an 18 per cent German silver alloy only a 'two and brass' will remain. Why not then call the compound 'nickel-brass,' or, if numerical objections are too strong to overcome at once, why not call it 'nickel alloy?' The various contents of nickel may be designated by utilizing the different percentages that the alloy contains. Thus, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 15, 18 per cent, etc., nickel-alloy. It is a fact that some manufacturers are already designating the material now being sold as 'Sheffield plate,' as 'silver-plate on a nickel base.' We see no reason why the same argument does not apply to the alloy being called nickel-silver."

WHEN LIFE SEEMED GOOD

All Trials and Troubles Trivial to True American Under Such Glorious Circumstances.

I got up in the morning feeling out of sorts.

I was blue and depressed and had many troubles.

I was short of funds and long on obligations.

The coming cares of the day seemed to be too much for me and I dreaded meeting them.

I was in ill humor as I dressed.

Then I went to the front door and picked up the morning paper and I read:

"Yanks take twenty towns!"

"Yanks capture many guns and prisoners!"

"Yanks drive back the Huns!"

And I forgot all my troubles.

And I gave one loud, American cheer.

For life looked mighty good to me.—Indianapolis Star.

Perfect Evening Spoiled.

"Isn't it glorious here?" she exclaimed when the waiter had taken their orders.

"Do you think so?" he replied.

"It's perfectly lovely. Everything is in such beautiful harmony—the fountain, the trees, the swaying lanterns, the music—everything is ideal. It's like Fairyland."

"I'm glad you like it."

"I'm simply enchanted. Doesn't it make you feel as if you had stepped out of the everyday world into something strange and new?"

"Not a bit."

"What's the matter? You don't seem to be enjoying yourself."

"My boss is sitting at the third table over there to your left, and I can tell by his looks that he's wondering how I can afford to blow myself at a place like this."—Dayton News.

Air Raid Stories.

In a booklet recently published the Bishop of Stepney tells some amusing stories of the behavior of poor people in the East end of London during the raids.

One woman, dwelling in a big block of model dwellings (writes the author) said to me, "You see, we're quite safe, because all here are contrite"—a fine frame of mind, only she meant concrete.

Another woman, a riverside dweller, who caught sight of a Zeppelin when she was out in her back yard in one of the earliest raids, said: "So I run into me kitchen, and in a minute or two I looks out at the front door, and blesit if it wasn't waiting for me there. I don't call it natural."—Pearson's Weekly.

Law on Pulling Down Trousers Leg.

It is hard to believe that a man who was sober would spend half a minute, or seven seconds, in pulling down one leg of a pair of trousers. But we cannot say as matter of law that if he was sober he did not do so. What we do say, however, is that when a man has at least the whole highway, including a sidewalk devoted to foot passengers alone, to choose from, it is not the act of a prudent man who wants to pull down one leg of his trousers to select a street railway track eight seconds around and away from a corner from which an electric car may emerge at any moment, and to stoop over to pull down his trousers without again looking up until he is run over.—See Jordan vs. Old Colony St. R. Co., 188 Mass. 124.—Law Notes.

Though a prophet rose from the dead, he never could have persuaded the third George of England that under the fifth George the nation of George Washington would save England from destruction at the hands of the third George's kin. As old John Phoenix used to say, "truth is often more of a stranger than fiction."—Topeka Capital.

Longs for a Pistratus.

Pistratus, the first lawgiver of Athens, when asked why he had made death the penalty for every infraction of his statutes, replied that it was none too much for the least crime and he knew nothing more severe for the greater. Ah, if Pistratus were only here to judge the Huns at the final count.—Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

"Orion" Type of Stars.
The youngest stars of which we have knowledge are the "Orion" type of stars. The constellation of Orion is composed mainly of them, as well as parts of Taurus the Pleiades and parts of Perseus. In color, they are much like the Sirius type, bluish white, and brilliant, but a spectroscopic analysis detects the difference between them. Stars like Sirius and Vega are surrounded by hydrogen gas, but the Orion stars have no hydrogen, and are made of helium and nebula. They often have great volumes of fine nebula dust about them, showing that they are still in the process of condensing out of the primitive star matter.

Drop in Irish Birthrate.

The Irish registrar general's return for the first quarter of this year shows a drop in the Irish birth rate of 3.6 below the average for the previous ten years. The marriage rate is practically stationary. The death rate is 3.3 below the average.

The general prosperity of Ireland is reflected by the fact that the returns on Irish pauperism show a decrease of 3,122 to the average number of workhouse inmates.

You Do Say, Mr. Fisherman?
J. W. Partridge, federal fisheries commissioner, is trying to encourage housewives to buy sea fish.

He was discussing the virtues of the sea fish the other day.

"Do you believe, Mr. Partridge," asked a bystander, "that the sea trout is as good a pan fish as the lake or stream trout?"

"Well, I wouldn't say for sure," says J. W. P., "that's all a matter of taste."—Indianapolis News.

Ask the Thief.

The lawyer was trying hard for his client and was setting the points out in a logical manner. There was one thing he was not quite clear about and he accordingly said:

"Now, sir, you state my client knocked you down and then disappeared in the darkness. What time of night was this?"

"I can't say exactly," the complainant answered dryly. "Your client had my watch."

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TWO CENTS

EVERYTHING IN READINESS FOR DRAFT REGISTRATION THURSDAY

Hours Fixed From 7 A. M.
to 9 P. M. at Various
Polling Places

MEN UP TO 46 ARE AFFECTED

The five local service boards of Washington county have practically completed all arrangements for the big draft registration on Thursday, when all men between the ages of 18 and 46 years, inclusive, will register for military service. In all the draft districts the registration places will be the regular voting places of the various precincts, unless otherwise designated. It is expected that the total registration in the county will be between 20,000 and 25,000. The regulations in each local district will be under the direction of the various local draft boards.

The registration places will be accessible between the hours of 7 a. m. and 9 p. m. on Thursday, the 12th. All men must register except those who have registered already or those who are in the military or naval service. Men are reminded to register early in order to avoid the congestion that is sure to come when the workmen leave the mills and the mines after their day's work is done.

The supplies for the registration have all reached the local boards. The registration cards are slightly different from those used in the first registration. The various registration chairmen are required to make a report of the registration to the local board as soon as they can and the local board will forward it to Harrisburg.

Questionnaires will reach the new draftees as soon as the board can compile the registration and get them mailed. Registrants should remember that the registration has nothing to do with the exemption claims. All that will be done on Thursday is to sign the registration card with name, address, age, race, citizenship and occupation. The matter of exemption is taken care of by the questionnaire which will be mailed to the registrant later.

The machinery of the registration in District No. 5 has all been put in motion, the various registrars appointed and notices posted directed all those within the ages mentioned to appear at the appointed time and place and be registered.

CALLING MEN FOR PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

District Board No. 4 with headquarters at Ellsworth, has issued notices to thirty-nine young men who registered on the 24th of last August to appear at headquarters for physical examination. These registrants are all in Class 1, and if found physically fit will be certified for service. Fifty men registered in this district in August, having just come of age, of which number three are alien enemies while received deferred classification for various causes.

"LES MISERABLES" AT MAJESTIC THEATRE

When Victor Hugo finished Les Misérables in 1861 he said:—"Dante made a hell with poetry. I have tried to make one with reality." Les Misérables is admittedly the greatest and most melodramatic of all Victor Hugo's melodramas, and William Fox has pictured it with William Farnum playing the part of Jean Valjean. Les Misérables will be shown at the Majestic Theatre tomorrow and Thursday. 82-11.

A NURSE'S LIFE BEHIND THE LINES

Rev. A. G. Keller, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, recently received a letter from his sister, Mabel, who is now in service as a nurse near the western battle front in France. At the beginning of the war Miss Keller went to France as an anesthetist in the hospital equipped by Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney and presented to the French government, where she served for a year. During the past two years she has been in charge of the operating rooms in a British base hospital, was loaned for a time to the French army to administer anesthetics in evacuation hospitals near the front and is now doing similar work in a mobile hospital on the American front.

In her letter, which is written from a "Mobile Hospital, No. 2, A. E. F., France, under date of July 20, 1918 at the very inception of the Allied counter-offensive, she says:

Dear Brother:—Since the fifth of July I have been leading such a strenuous and anxious life that I have not been able to write. Belonging to a "mobile unit" is very interesting in many respects, but so far it has left little room for anything else.

We left Paris the morning of July 5 and traveled by auto to the front, where it was then known that the attack of the 14th was to take place. We traveled till 5 o'clock that evening, stopped over night, and the next morning went a little farther on where we attached ourselves to a field hospital which had taken over a large French hut hospital about 12 miles from the line. Here we set up our part of the institution and in a few hours were ready for work. During the following week we had a little work, and were daily expecting the big attack. Between times we were being instructed in the proper way to meet the attack and also a possible retreat. As we were in the gas zone (gas having been known to penetrate as far back as 25 miles) we had to carry our gas masks along and of course needed a great deal of drilling in the adjustment of them. The American mask is an adaptation of the British one and, as you perhaps know, it is rather complex to put on properly and quickly. We had been told what the "gas alert" signal

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No Registration at Donora Headquarters

It appears to be the opinion of some persons within jurisdiction of Local Board No. 5, with headquarters at Donora that it will be necessary to go to the Board headquarters to register on Thursday, September 12, 1918, the Donora headquarters and request the Board issued notice this morning that it would not register men at the Donora headquarters on that day, but instead all men subject to registration are to register at their home precincts. These places of registration are located at the voting places in the various precincts, unless otherwise specified. Anyone appearing at the Donora headquarters and requesting registration will be referred back to their home precincts. All men affected by this registration should take particular notice.

People Make Liberal Response To Appeal

From the liberal response, on the part of the people of CharleROI to save peach seeds for the use of the government, it is apparent that the appeals made, which have been made during the past few days, have not fallen upon deaf ears. At this time large quantities of peach seeds as well as other fruits are being preserved by many families and it is but little effort on their part to save the pits from the fruit that they may be turned into some practical use. The government has a use for these seeds and is asking everyone to save, that the soldiers now in the trenches in France may be the beneficiaries. The government has a use for these seeds and is asking everyone to save, that the soldiers now in the trenches in France may be the beneficiaries. The government has a use for these seeds and is asking everyone to save, that the soldiers now in the trenches in France may be the beneficiaries.

APPROVE DRY ZONES NEAR WAR PLANTS

Without a dissenting vote the House of Representatives at Washington on Monday passed, after a few minutes consideration, the Senate resolution empowering the President to establish prohibition zones around munition factories, mines, shipyards and other war production plants. The President by this resolution, is given full power to establish dry zones when he deems necessary, and penalties of \$1,000 fine or one year imprisonment are provided for violation of the regulation.

BENEFIT GAME ON WEDNESDAY

The benefit ball game to be played at Quinn Park, New Eagle, between the Fayette City and Monongahela teams, will take place Wednesday evening, September 11 at 6 o'clock. This game has been twice postponed on account of the weather, but the promoters hope to be able to stage it tomorrow evening. "Honus" Wagner will be in the lineup for Monongahela who will also have Urban or Boucher at second, Jack Dawson in middle and either Osborne or Markwood in the box. Fayette City will also have a strong line-up, with possibly Irwin in the box and Courtney on the receiving end. The proceeds of the game are to go to the tobacco fund for Company A, 110th Infantry.

WANTED—Millinery Apprentice Girls. Apply at once. J. W. Berryman & Son. 79-1f

CAR SHORTAGE IS RESPONSIBLE FOR LOSS OF COAL AT MANY MINES

HEAVY PUNISHMENT FOR ARMY SLACKERS

An amendment to the espionage act, designed to reach selective service slackers and to punish disloyal talk, was passed by the United States senate on Monday after brief debate and sent to the House. It fixes a maximum penalty of 20 years' imprisonment, or a fine of \$10,000 or both for making false reports or statements with intent to interfere with the United States military or naval success.

URGES WOMEN TO CAN MORE FRUIT

Howard Hertz, Federal food administrator for Pennsylvania on Monday issued the following:

"For some reason housewives are not canning fruit and vegetables on the same scale as last year or during normal years. While fruit and some vegetables may be scarce, still the season soon will be over and it is imperative that housewives of Pennsylvania give this matter most serious and prompt consideration.

"Special care has been taken by the food administration to see that ample sugar supply is available for canning purposes. Any householder may secure from the local groceryman all the sugar needed for canning purposes without it being necessary for the consumer to take the matter up with the food administrator except to notify the county administrator if any groceryman does not furnish the sugar necessary for canning purposes on demand.

"The food administration is depending absolutely on the good faith of the housewives in using canning sugar only for canning purposes, and retailers are expected to co-operate with the government in seeing that the above liberal provision for legitimate canning purposes is not used as a subterfuge for getting more than the specified two pounds per person per month for the ordinary household consumption.

"Our advice is that there is nothing near a normal amount of canning being done by the housewives this season. I would like each county Federal food administrator to bring this matter urgently to the attention of the housewives of each county, now that the fruit season is at its height and at this time, of course, create a public sentiment that will frown upon and discourage this privilege, which is so largely left to the conscience of the people themselves."

PLENTY OF APPLES REPORTED FROM OHIO

Word received from Cincinnati Monday evening by Pittsburg produce dealers said that the apple crop throughout the Ohio valley is of immense proportions and boat owners are making preparations to provide extra steamers to handle the product. Let us hope that some will come this way.

Coal Men Take Issue With Mr. McAdoo on Car Supply

LOCAL FIELDS ARE AFFECTED

The production of coal is of such prime importance at the present time that a sharp statement issued on Monday by the National Coal Association, taking direct issue with the statement of Mr. McAdoo, Director General of Railroads, that coal production is limited by labor shortage and other causes than transportation, is of more than usual interest. In this statement figures are quoted from the United States Geological Survey to prove that Mr. McAdoo is wrong.

Asserting that, so far as the car supply for bituminous coal loading is concerned, Mr. McAdoo has apparently not been informed fully as to all facts in the case. It is true that in certain sections of the country the supply for bituminous coal loading is bituminous coal mines has shown marked improvements during the summer months and the industry as a whole has enjoyed an increased car supply of empty cars furnished to no means adequate when the whole industry is considered, as the government's own figures will show. The coal association shows that during the last week covered by returns from producing fields, that of August 24, car shortage cut production no less than 1,530,000 tons of bituminous coal. It cites the Pennsylvania fields among others to show that bituminous coal mines lost 750,000 tons during the week in question, because railroads failed to furnish cars to load this tonnage. It further says that one mine in West Virginia lost 100,000 tons during the month of August because of the lack of cars.

ARMY SLACKER TAKEN TO CAMP

Secretary Joe T. S. Cowan of District Board No. 4 sent George Hudson colored to Camp Sherman this morning under guard of Mark Miller, police officer of California. Hudson, the fruit season is at its height and at this time, of course, create a public sentiment that will frown upon and discourage this privilege, which is so largely left to the conscience of the people themselves."

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"Wedlock" featuring Louise Glaum
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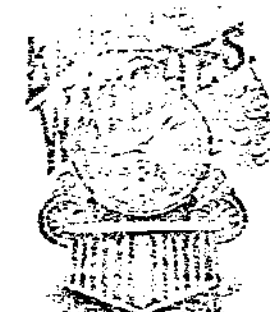
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Some of the real "Boosters" of Charleroi have their business cards inserted here. They are the real "power behind" that makes Charleroi the logical trading point

Boost Boosters

Ignore "Knockers"



LET'S STOP THAT LEAK

Our Community's money belongs to us. It should be used for the improvement of our town and for the good of our country. Are we allowing it to leak away? And are we doing anything to stop the leaks? Can't we put Home Trade to work? There is a workman who can stop the leaks. The tool he uses is mutual patronage. We farmers and merchants should get together as masters and use this powerful agent to stop the leak that is fast draining the resources of this town and this country. It takes co-operation. That's all.

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AFTER THE WAR—WHAT?

When peace comes, the world's commerce will have a tendency to flow back into its own channels. Import and export trade will be renewed and duties must be paid. Because of depreciation in paper money and fluctuations in its value these duties will have to be paid in most cases in gold and, as a result, unless suitable preventive measures are installed the financial world at any time may be greatly disturbed and perhaps demoralized. The welfare of the world after the war will depend largely upon the stability of trade and to stabilize trade there should be a sound, well established system of international finance.

While it may be that the world is not yet ready to adopt the ideal plan of a universal money system with a single unit of value for all nations, it would seem to be entirely feasible to establish an international financial board similar to the Federal Reserve Board of this country. Such an institution would undoubtedly exert a powerful influence in steadying world finance and trade; it would act as an international clearing house; it might regulate to a large extent, the ebb and flow of gold; it would have a powerful influence in determining interest and exchange rates; it would provide a safe method for dealing with the delicate problems likely to arise regarding the huge outstanding quantities of war bonds; and it could also warrant the issuance of gold notes which might prove to be the first step towards the adoption of an international money system. The plan would afford an opportunity to utilize the best brains of the world in dealing not only with problems of finance and trade, but also with many questions which are likely to arise in connection with the adjustment of international relations after the war.

WIVES OR WIDOWS

Not in a hundred years has there been as many widows in Europe as there are today.

Nor as many helpless orphans. Never has the continent faced such a tremendous task as the proper education and training of these citizens of the future.

For without the mother's directing hand this always is a task paramount. And most of this training must of necessity be in government supported institutions and schools under official supervision.

And this means the wiping out of home life, home influences, home memories for a great majority of these orphans.

God grant the children of America a better, kinder fate.

And yet it threatens. Inevitably in the proposed army of five million must be hundreds of thousands of fathers. The age limit cannot be raised to 45 without this result. It means a wife left behind for every father who goes.

Shall they be wives or widows? Shall their children welcome them back or shall they be orphaned?

In no small measure the answer is in our hands, yours and mine.

This army of five million or more, the military experts say, will strike the deciding blow in this militant delirium over there. It will be the deciding factor in crushing Prussianism and Kaiser Bill.

And the better prepared it goes the quicker it will do the job, the less men will be lost from its ranks. The less widows, the less orphans left behind.

It's for you and me to say how well prepared these crusaders shall go.

Their weapon is a gun; ours a Liberty Bond.

Are you armed?

Shall it be wives or widows?

ON THE WAY

A glance at the war map of Europe each morning shows that the Germans are getting closer and closer to the Rhine. Wherever the allies are on the offensive there they are making gains. Not only are they taking territory, which is relatively the lesser important feature of the present campaign, but they are likewise taking a large number of prisoners. So far, since the inception of the allied offensive which began on the 18th of July it is estimated that 150,000 Ger-

mans have been taken as prisoners. Such a large number indicates that many of these prisoners were taken glad to leave the German lines to get back into the prison pens of the allies, where they felt assured they would get "three a day" and well cared for. Soldiers who are fired with the righteousness of their cause never surrender except in the most extreme cases but the Germans in many instances have been most willing captives. They possibly realize the hopelessness of their case and are ready and willing to get away from the horrors of war. They are fighting because the Kaiser and his junkers have commanded them to do so—the men in the ranks are there because they have been conscripted to be used as pawns and placed wherever their leaders desire. No wonder they are ready to be captured and no doubt in many instances desert. They see the doom of German aspirations in the continued success of the allied advance.

A CRUCIAL WEEK

According to expert military observers this will be a crucial week in the great war now raging in Europe. The Germans have probably been able to get behind a strong defensive line following closely the Hindenburg fortifications, and if they are able to remain there it will mean that the allied offensive is practically at an end for the time being. If on the other hand the allied armies can out-manuever the Huns and break through this line at any point, and particularly at LaFere it will mean a further retirement on the part of the Germans which will likely take them back to the German border.

It is accepted of course that Gen. Foch has had in mind just such a situation as now exists. And no doubt he has planned with his other commanders just what the allied armies will undertake and what they will hope to accomplish. The German resistance has been stiffening during the past few days, showing they have been able to concentrate a large number of guns behind their new lines and no doubt hope to be able to hold Foch for the present at least.

It is this condition that will make the next few days of more than usual importance because of the tremendous possibilities that could take place if it is possible for the allies to pierce the new defensive position of the Huns. Some look for the greatest battle of the entire war, and it is not unlikely. The Allies are stronger today than ever before, and with a superiority in numbers may be able to accomplish whatever they undertake. For this reason the eyes of the world will watch the western front with greater interest than ever.

THEY WANT PEACE

The Turkish Grand Vizier says that America and the other allied nations "will soon come to recognize that there is no sense in continuing the hostilities." It is unfortunate for Turkey that some of their leaders did not have similar opinions four years ago, before they entered the present war. Turkey is in this war, like Germany, Austria-Hungary and Bulgaria as a business proposition. They want the territory of some of their neighbors and if peace were to be concluded on present lines all of these central powers would be far ahead of the game.

The allies do not propose that the robbers shall get away with their loot. They propose to use force, force to the utmost, force to the limit, that the robber hands of Germany and her allies shall be broken from the lands they have stolen and the people given their right to have a voice in their government. Turkey, Germany, and Austria and Bulgaria would like to have peace—they would like to have it granted on lines of present conquest, but such a peace would be a defeat for the forces of civilization. When Germany shall have been driven from France and Belgium and out of Russia and Roumania and her armies broken and scattered; her navy made impotent, and the victorious allied armies shall march through Berlin, then it will be time enough to talk about peace.

EDSEL

Henry Ford is going to be an active candidate for United States Senator in Michigan and no doubt on his political tours he will learn a great deal about Edsel. Edsel is his 23-year-old son who was exempted from military service by the district board after the local board had refused the young man's petition. Henry says he is responsible for the exemption. Maybe so. At the same time it is worthy of remark that young Ford was the only man in the Ford plant in Detroit, which employs thousands of men, who asked for exemption. Strange that a young man of 23 should be so important to that industry that his services could not be spared, while men superior to him in every respect could leave

the company without causing a hitch in any of its operations. However many of these prisoners were taken glad to leave the German lines to get back into the prison pens of the allies, where they felt assured they would get "three a day" and well cared for.

ARE THEY ADJOURNED?

The administration through Robert Lansing, Secretary of State, has indicated Alfred E. Smith, Democratic candidate for Governor of New York State. Mr. Lansing's endorsement is said to be "the first of a series expected from members of President Wilson's Cabinet." Also, "several members of the Cabinet are likely to ask for him in New York during the campaign."

"Politics is adjourned."

The people of the United States will have an opportunity to break another record when the campaign for the Fourth Liberty Loan opens. This campaign is to be only three weeks in length, but we must buy more bonds than in any of the previous sales. The American people, however, are used to breaking records.

Returns from many localities indicate that motorless Sunday was observed to a greater extent last Sunday than on the first one. There were a few who braved public opinion but they will be even less on each succeeding Sunday. No one should desire to be a motor slacker.

Motorless Sundays not only conserve gasoline but likewise the lives of the people. Notice how few accidents are reported Monday morning.

Squirrel's Pathetic Search

In moving some quilts in the cottage of Fred Hayden of Northwest Abbot, Me., five little squirrels were spilled on the floor, one of them being killed. The mother squirrel was quickly on the scene, taking one at a time and hastening upstairs with it. The fourth one she dropped at the foot of the stairs and rushed back with frantic haste, thoroughly looking over the contents of the room for the fifth one. She even climbed to the waists of the men and smelled their hands in her search for her lost baby.—Boston Globe.

Horses Knew Allotted Task

In the mines of Hainault horses that travel back and forth over a certain road exactly thirty times each day go to the stables of their own accord after their last trip, and refuse to take another step. In Montaigne's Essays it is stated that the oxen employed in the royal gardens of Sisa for turning the wheels to which the water pails were attached refused to make more than the hundred rounds that constituted their daily task.

Made Money From Dandelions

Collecting dandelions an Italian woman living in Philadelphia has been able to save \$2,000 during the last 40 years. It appears that about forty years ago the woman's husband died, leaving his widow unprovided for. She started to collect dandelions, and sold them to her countrymen in the city. A few days ago she died, and it was found that her savings had accumulated to a little more than \$2,000.

One Spot Was All Right

Robert was promised a nickel by his aunt if he kept clean when he went out to play, as company was expected and they wanted him to look his best. The tiny chap, however, got into a coal pile and was a sight to behold. His aunt said such a dirty boy would not get the nickel. Wistfully pulling out the lining of his wee pocket he said: "My pocket is clean, anyhow."

Peculiar Form of Cruelty

Telling ghost stories was the charge brought against her husband by a woman seeking a divorce in Tichnock, County Waterford, Ireland. The woman asked for a divorce on the grounds of cruelty. Questioned as to what her husband had done, the wife explained that her husband was always telling her stories to the effect that the ghost of his former wife haunted the house.

Watch Your Knees

In a long fast the brain is the only part of the body that does not lose anything in weight. So when the body is on the decline the brain remains active and alert. This leads many brain workers to believe that they are all right when they are all wrong. Watch your knees rather than your brain. If you want to know your physical condition.

Great Britain comprises England, Scotland and Wales, all parts of one island, and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland includes Ireland as an addition. The British empire consists of all these and India, the colonies, other islands, protectorates and dependencies.

Use of Oxalic Acid

In using oxalic acid to remove ink stains always follow with a few drops of javelle water, which counteracts and neutralizes the oxalic acid. Then rinse with boiling water to remove both of these chemicals so that the ether will remain unchanged.

Turtle's Instinct.
It has long been ascertained that the eggs of the loggerhead turtle are laid in the sand at some distance from the sea. As soon as the young are hatched, however, they move with unerring instinct to the water. It is found that newly hatched loggerhead turtles move away from red, orange and green, but are attracted by blue. Under normal conditions, then, the blue gleam of the sea may be supposed to attract them, while they will turn away from the reds and greens of the land.

Saline Plants

Saline plants are plants such as saltworts, seaweeds, grass-wrack, sea-kale and asparagus, which grow on the seashore, or by the side of salt lakes, or in the beds of lakes which have dried up. They are rich in saline constituents, and when burnt their ashes were formerly used in the production of soda. This used to be employed in the manufacture of soap, glass and other products.

Never Molest Dragon Fly

The dragon fly is a tireless hunter and eater of mosquitoes. This is his one purpose in life. He and his children from the day they are born until they die are busy with the praiseworthy fight of mosquito extermination. The big dragon fly pursues the adult mosquitoes and the little ones hunt and eat the young mosquitoes—a splendid family arrangement. Nobody should ever injure a dragon fly.

Some Famous Cats

Southey declared that a house was not complete unless it contained a child rising three and a cat rising six weeks. He wrote "The Chronicle History of the Catery of Cat's Eden" for his numerous progeny, and among the famous cats of Grera Hall, Keswick, were those named Lord Nelson, Bona Marietta, Pope Joan, Othello the Moor (as black as coal), Pulcheria and Mme. Bianchi.

Learn Road Building From Romans

Good and properly permanent roads are still something of an unsolved problem. It has been suggested in Scientific American that road engineers might get much useful instruction in road building by studying the roads built by the Romans a thousand years ago, which, except for neglect of the surface, are still giving good service.

To Make Ivory Look Like Silver

Immerse the ivory in a dilute solution of silver nitrate after having thoroughly cleaned it. Then put it into a solution of common salt until it assumes a deep yellow color. Dip it in water, and expose it to the sun's rays until it becomes black. On rubbing, the black surface will soon change to a brilliant silver.—Popular Science Monthly.

Cork

The outer spongy bark of the cork oak, which grows in the south of France and Spain, constitutes the substance known as cork. This outer bark is periodically stripped off the tree, soaked for a time in water, and the surface subsequently charred to close the pores.

Telltale Count

"I know I was not drunk," said a woman charged at Brentford. "I counted 13 buttons on the policeman's tunic." As the constable was wearing in court the identical garment, which bore eight buttons, she was fined.—Lloyd's News, London.

Self-Criticism

Lucille is six years old and seems to delight in repeating grownup phrases. One morning coming in from play she happened to catch a glimpse of herself in the mirror. Stopping abruptly, she gasped: "My, just look at that young 'un!"

Llamas Burden Bearers

Llamas are employed in transport work in Peru. These animals work in herds of about a hundred, and each carries a load equivalent to a hundred-weight. After two weeks' work each llama has a week's rest.

To clean plaster of paris ornaments, cover them with a thick coating of starch, and allow it to become perfectly dry. Then it may be brushed off, and the dirt with it.

What One Is

"Say, Pa, just one more," pleaded the animated question mark. "What is the 'Rock of Ages'?" "The way it seems to a young father trying to race with a spell of colic."

Credit Goes to Pennsylvania

Judge Jesse Fell of Wilkes-Barre, Pa., although he was not the discoverer of anthracite, is generally given credit for its introduction as a fuel.

Nonessential Industry

Our idea of a nonessential industry is tracing the pedigree of a dog.—Dallas News.

Daily Thought

Goodness is the only investment that never fails.—Henry David Thoreau.

Good Fees in the Old Days

About 1673 Helvetius came from Holland to Paris to practice medicine. A drug merchant whom he had attended gave him as fee a packet of ipecacuanha root, imported from Brazil. Helvetius empirically discovered that the root had the virtue of healing dysentery. By curing that disease he accumulated no less than 100,000 crowns, and, in addition, became a favorite at the court of Louis XIV. It is opined in the Medical Record that the old days were not as bad as the ultramoderns paint them.

Exposition in 1926

Plans are under way for holding, in Philadelphia, in 1926, an international exposition to be designated as the sesqui-centennial exposition. Sesqui is a Latin word meaning one-half more or one and a half times as much. As centennial means a hundred years, sesqui-centennial means a hundred and fifty, as 1926 will be, counting from 1776. The word is an expressive coinage but rather hard for the American tongue to get around. It is pronounced ses-kwi.

May Raise Monkeys

Los Angeles and southern California may become famous as a great monkey-raising section, if the hopes of animal fanciers come true. They believe that climatic conditions there are favorable for the development of an industry that will make a specialty of raising monkeys, parrots and other wild pets that dealers now find it difficult to secure from their regular sources, because of war conditions.

Beauty and Service

A real woman can make a home in a desert out of a dry goods box or in a canteen in France. But do not think that she does it by the wave of a magic wand. She does it because she gives her heart and hands and head to it; because she rises early and works late; because she loves beauty as she does her own life, and because she realizes that service is its handmaid.—New York Evening Mail.

Had Improved on Phrase

An aged banker once said to a friend: "Yes, I expect to marry one of the proudest and most beautiful girls in New York. You see, a young suitor sings to his sweetheart, 'Love Me—and the World Is Mine.' But I've got a better method, by jingo. I sing, 'Love Me—and the World Is Thine.' I'm bound to win out, don't you think so, George?"

Not Frightened

Private Jones was doing his first guard duty. An officer approached and Jones failed to salute. The officer halted and said pompously: "My man, do you know who I am?" Jones admitted his ignorance. "I'm a colonel," the officer said. Jones grinned and said, "Gee, you wuz lucky. They made me just a private."—Judge.

Unknown Human Qualities

Fortune, good or ill, as I take it, does not change men and women. It but develops their characters. As there are a thousand thoughts lying within a man that he does not know till he takes up the pen to write, so the heart is a secret to him (or her) who has it in his own breast.—Thackeray.

To Remove Rust

Steel needles which had been put away in a box for some time had a number of rusty spots on them, so were wiped first with kerosene, then pumice stone and rubbed with it a few times and they were as smooth as when new—no trace of the rust was left.

Of Small Account

Spitting, when one is conversing with somebody whom one regards as one's social superior, does not convey that impression of ease and self-command in one's social relations which many seem to think it does.—Ohio State Journal.

A Moving Tale

A Yarmouth pork butcher notified his customers that he had sold out by hanging in his window a pig's tail with a card bearing the words: "This is the end of our pork this week."—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

The lower East side of New York is made up of many races, but the Jews predominate. They come from all quarters of the globe to find a home in New York's most crowded spot.

Add, Palindromes

When asked by a friend if he had any coal, Rogers gave a reply that is the same spelled backwards or forwards: "Not a ton, Bob, not a ton."—Boston Transcript.

Bee as Good Example

If you would add to your wealth, and contribute a delicious, healthful product to the world of consumers, consider the busy bee.—Exchange.

New Drill for Oil Wells

A submersible electric motor which grips the sides of the well casing features a new rotary drill for oil wells.

Daily Thought

Thought once awakened does not again slumber.—Carlyle.

INESTIMABLE VALUE OF HOPE

It is a Source of the Purest and Holiest Passions and Sustains Man in Adversity.

Without hope this voraging sphere on which man lives would be but a desert, and our lives empty and all but unendurable. For hope is the great rudder to all humanity. Hope wakens in the child even before the sense of reason; it fills youth with golden-hued visions; it lures maturity on to uncountable endeavor, which is greater than mere accomplishment. Nor does it even forsake old age. Like the lamplight streaming through the windowpane which brought you safely home when a boy, hope lights the path. Even unattained, it burns unquenchably. It is more intangible than faith, for faith is trust in what is, but hope is confidence in what is to be. Even to write of it without dropping into vague figures is like trying to express the nature of music by means of algebraic symbols. Hope is sometimes the parent of selfish ambition, but it is also the source of all the purest and holiest passions. It fills the heart of the father when he looks at the baby in his arms. And when this child has become a man the same fire burns within as he gazes down upon his son. From generation to generation it passes—ineffable. It makes all life like the laboratory of the alchemist, in which what is dross seems just on the point of being transmuted to gold. But, unlike the alchemist's toil, hope is never wasted, for though the phrase is hackneyed—it is what makes life worth living.—Gollers.

SOME VERY QUEER COSTUMES

Gorgeous Raiment Has Been Common to Many Famous Writers—Disraeli's Green Velvet Trousers.

The London Daily Chronicle, in its interesting miscellaneous column, says: "A liking of gorgeous raiment, such as characterized Emile Verhaeren in his youth, has been common to many famous writers. Disraeli as a young man started the town by an evening dress comprising green velvet trousers, a canary-colored waistcoat, and a coat with lace cuffs. Dickens, likewise, was fond of a certain bright green waistcoat, which he wore in accompaniment with a vivid scarlet tie, and he turned up at Frith's studio one day in a sky-blue overcoat with red cuffs. Even more fearful and wonderful was Dumas' appearance at an ambassador's reception in a shirt on which were depicted a number of little red demons disporting themselves amid flames of yellow fire. 'My costume was a grand success,' he wrote: 'everyone thronged round and made much of me.'"

Love

Love has no doubts. To itself love is the very substance of reality. The phenomena of sight, sound, touch and their fellows are but the conditions under which life has made a foothold for itself in this boisterous world; the senses know nothing beyond their own functioning, they have nothing to say regarding the end or purpose of life. But to love, all the labor and effort of all the universe, with all its sordid systems, with all its ethereal immensity, has been for the sake of producing love.

Of what consequence is it, whether insensible matter endure a myriad years, or assume infinite bigness, an infinity of matter is as nothing. One flash of conscious life illumined by love is worth all the patience, all the effort, all the labor, of unconscious energy throughout an infinity of time. Consciousness is but a minister to love, to the love that is to be.—Atlantic Monthly.

The Copper Industry

The copper industry and its methods of production are of exceptional interest just now, owing to the demand for this metal occasioned by the European war, as well as its extensive use in the commercial world for many purposes.

To illustrate the modern methods employed in mining copper, there has been constructed the most elaborate mine model in existence at the museum of natural history of New York. This represents quite a wonderful piece of miniature panoramic view of the famous Copper Queen mine at Bisbee, Ariz., which produces the largest amount of copper of any in the world. The gigantic model is L-shaped, 26 feet long and 10 feet deep, representing an area of 21,310 acres of land. Three years of critical labor was consumed in constructing this model.—World's Advance.

Women who love sweet perfumes have little idea of the worth of the genuine floral extracts. Real attar of roses comes from the Orient. When perfectly pure it is of almost fabulous value. The secret of its preparation is carefully guarded, and the finest product is usually sold in quantities not exceeding a few drops. Violet is one of the perfumes that have been so closely imitated that thoughtless people never stop to discriminate, and buy the manufactured for the genuine article. The recent discovery of a chemical process by which a perfume can be produced which cannot, even by experts, be distinguished from true violet extract is a matter of importance, as this is one of the most popular of odors. The substance, however, is worth \$100 per ounce wholesale.

BROUGHT TOGETHER BY WAR

Placing Incident on the Western Front in Which Sectarianism Played Small Part.

An army chaplain of the Episcopal persuasion tells of some experiences he had on the western front when his regiment was quartered in a little town. The Hun had destroyed everything there, not even leaving a building to hold services in. A part of his story is as follows:

"Finally I went to see the Roman Catholic chaplain, a fine, broad, big-hearted Irishman from Boston. 'Why not use the church?' he said at once. 'But I thought it was destroyed, and, anyway, I didn't suppose you'd let me,' I answered. Well, they had put a roof on in place of the original one, and the altar hadn't been hurt, so at eight o'clock in the morning he said mass in the church, and at 8:45 I had my Protestant communion service, and at 9:30 there was another mass."

In this little narrative we can see the beautiful logic of the war. The sacredness of the awful battle line is not far different from that of Calvary, for in each case the blood is shed for all. We are not going to be so hidebound in our religious views and practices when the battles for freedom and civilization have been won. There will doubtless be Catholics, Methodists and Jews after the war is over, but they will love one another.—Ohio State Journal.

WRONG IDEA OF CHEMISTRY

Writer Humorously Describes What Many Suppose It Is, and Points Out What It Is.

"If I had been real bright," says Eugene Wood in his humorous sketch called "Missed It—The Big Idea," in Boys' Life. "I would have seen that the thing to do, when there isn't the substance that you want, is to go ahead and invent it. Other people do that, so why not you? Make it out of other substances not a bit like what you want. That's what you call chemistry."

"I knew there was such a thing as chemistry because I had been in a chemical laboratory. But a boy's notion of chemistry is a good deal like that of the level, solid-headed business man before the war—Ts! I get all twisted sometimes—the solid, level-headed business man before the war. That's what I mean to say. That notion is: that chemistry is where it smells like the furnace didn't draw; it is where you pour clear stuff out of a bottle into clear stuff out of another bottle, and it all clouds up different colors; it is something you have to learn so as to get through college, but it ain't practical."

"Hello Girls" in France.

Two little paragraphs taken from Hamilton Holt's study in the Independent (New York) concerning the vast activities behind the American front in France convey volumes of information to those who would realize the scope of the organization at a certain American base port.

"Not the least American thing in this Franco-American city," writes Mr. Holt, "was a completely equipped American fire engine, house with a crew imported from as far distant a city as Portland, Ore. And you should have seen the boys slide down the polished brass pole, just as they do at home, when the captain sounded the song."

"I forget how many hundreds of telephone wire we had installed in our special American telephone circuit. But, best of all, you could say 'Hello,' just as you do at home—and back would come the response from a real American exported hello girl: 'Number, please?'"

It is singular there should be any question concerning the origin of the well-known sobriquet of "Yankee." Nearly all the old writers who spoke of the Indians first known to the colonists make them pronounce the word "English" as "Yengeese." Even at this day it is a provincialism of New England to say "English" instead of "Inglish," and there is a close conformity of sound between the "English" and "Yengeese," more especially if the latter word, as was probably the case, be pronounced short.

The transition from "Yengeese," thus pronounced, to "Yankees," is quite easy. If the former is pronounced "Yangis," it is almost identical with "Yankees," and Indian words have seldom been spelt as they are pronounced. The liquids of the Indian would easily convert "En" into "Yen."—From a footnote in Cooper's "The Deerslayer."

Precarious Situation.

"How about a jury for this automobile colliding case?"

"We're up a tree," said the lawyer on the other side.

"How so?"

"Well, a jury of motor owners will be as wise as all get out about an affair of this kind."

"True."

"While a jury of nonmotorists may soak the pair of us."

A Real Optimist.

"The baldheaded man who just went out is the greatest optimist I ever met," said the druggist.

"That so?" asked the customer.

"Yes," replied the druggist. "When I guaranteed my brand of hair restorer he bought a bottle and bought a comb and brush because he figured he'd need them in a few days."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Relics of Aztec Era.

Near Phoenix, within the Salt River valley, are to be found seven communal settlements of the same pre-Aztec era, with central buildings that were far larger than that at Casa Grande, a writer in the Christian Science Monitor states. To the northward and northeast every river valley retains evidence of the passage of at least a portion of these peoples, for some reason leaving their cities and their irrigated fields on the plains and seeking the mountains and the upper plateaus.

The Thrift of Years.

Every man should strive to live at least 100 years and die all hitched up in working harness. Many a man feels that he would like to retire at about sixty and spend the rest of his years with nothing to do but lead a gold-headed cane around by the hand. It is thrifty to stay on the job just as long as possible. Every man should make the century plant his favorite flower and the undertaker his worst enemy.—Thrift Magazine.

Be Specific.

For business purposes, for social purposes, for any purposes in life, a rule that should admit of no exceptions is: "Be specific in everything you say. Don't take it for granted that vague, general statements will properly convey your meaning." General statements, please remember, leave wide room for inference, and there is always the liability that a wrong inference will be drawn.

Satisfied With Little Food.

In the Edinburgh (Scotland) zoo there is a crocodile that is content with a rat or a piece of horseflesh every fortnight. There is an anaconda which arrived more than a year ago and has since steadily refused to take food of any kind, an example of abstention surpassed, however, by an Indian python which during its 13 months' stay has not voluntarily taken food.

Intelligent Dog.

The family doctor was making a professional call one afternoon, when Johnny, who happened to be the patient on this occasion, suddenly gave a chuckle just as the physician had completed his examination and remarked in a half confidential whisper: "Say, just look at my doggy! I guess he knows you're a doctor, all right. He's got his tongue out."

Real Bonanza Kings.

The "bonanza kings" were James S. Flood, A. S. O'Brien, John W. Mackay, and James C. Fair, four men of Irish parentage, who acquired vast fortunes from the gold and silver mines on the Pacific coast. They had various imitators and successors who shared the name, but these four men were the "only original" bonanza kings.

Major and Minor Prophets.

The major prophets of the Old Testament were Isaiah, Jeremiah, Ezekiel and Daniel. The Old Testament books contain their prophecies. The minor prophets of the group of Old Testament writers from Hosea to Malachi are so called because of the brevity of their prophecies. Malachi was the last of the minor prophets.

Snake Story.

A species of viper (Viper macrops) from Bosnia, about 18 inches in length, seems to feed exclusively on grasshoppers. An interesting point about this little snake is that, although poisonous, it may be handled with impunity. If teased, it may hiss and snap, but never bites unless seriously hurt.

Substitute for Putty.

A cheap substitute for putty, suitable for stopping cracks in floors and other woodwork, is made by soaking newspaper in a paste made by boiling a pound of flour in three quarts of water and adding a teaspoonful of alum. Force this mixture into the cracks with a knife.

Aceticism.

Aceticism means the practicing of severe virtues, or the mastering of desires and passions. It might be termed the extreme practice of the simple life. Among the ancient Greeks it denoted the exercise and discipline practiced by the athletes and wrestlers.

Seemed Incomplete.

A new baby had come to the home, and the neighbors' little ones were allowed to come in to see him. A little one looked him over generally, then moved down to the bottom of the long dress and, quite puzzled, asked, "Ain't he dot his feet yet?"

If the Shah of Persia were to be deprived of his income he would still be one of the richest men in the world. He would only have to sell his ornaments, gems, and precious stones to become possessed of about \$35,000,000.

Zoological Notes.

Another thing we can't understand is how a woman can be a perfect cat and yet be scared to death of a mouse. —Cincinnati Enquirer.

Prevention Rather Than Cure.

To cure is as expensive as to prevent, and prevention eliminates the loss, as well.

ATHLETE IS NOW VINDICATED

War Has Proved That Sensible Devotion to Sports and Games Was Time Well Spent.

Much was said before the war in depreciation of the young man who devoted himself to athletics, remarks the Louisville Courier-Journal. His early death was prophesied by the easy-going slug of a fellow who took his exercise with his right elbow and his recreation at bar and caravansary. Whenever an athlete died his muscular development was set down as the cause of his untimely end.

It has been made plain by the war that the athletic youth is the preferable youth to fight the enemy. It never was proved that he was less able than others to fight life's battles in the figurative sense of the phrase, or that he died sooner than the round-punched, soft-armed, dabby-legged man.

In the army and in the navy athletic sports and games are encouraged, promoted, valued. Swimming, tennis, boxing, football, are regarded as being worth more than the time that is devoted to them. Aviators who are supple and well set up, as well as strong and courageous, are the most promising candidates. It has been found that the "light hands" of the man who has ridden to hounds are as valuable in manipulating an airplane as they are in taking a spirited horse over the hunting fields and over fences. Physical training of every sort is a good asset for the young man, and how much more easily the candidate who is forty or beyond has fitted himself for military service if he has kept up since college days the habit of exercise and out-of-door life.

IN ABE MARTIN'S COUNTRY

Where Wisdom Centers, and "the World Do Move," but in Decidedly Leisurely Manner.

All Brown county seemed to be waiting for us when late we reached the "picnic grounds." Abe Martin types hung round the roadway to the grove. Ginger pop, orange cider, ice cream cones were disappearing down warm and thirsty throats. All through the grove there were grateful voices talking gently of the saving of the corn crop by the rains. Coats and collars were not as numerous as on Fifth avenue, but kind hearts and friendly visiting and exchange of confidences were as evident as anywhere in all the world. Veterans of '61 were linking up their war with this, and one elaborately whiskered farmer earnestly confided to me: "I fought four years to make good Lincoln's word, and I guess our boys today will stand by Woodrow."

Honest, homely, shrewd and wise, they talked Abe Martin's language: "It's nice to live in a little town where you don't have to give somebody a time to hold your overcoat."

"A kicker is nearly allers wrong."

"A sympathizer is a feller that's fer you as long as it don't cost anything."

"Politics is just one 5-cent cigar after another."—Lynan P. Powell in the Living Church.

The Irregular Males.

Oliver Iselin, on leave in Tuxedo, was praising the American girls engaged in war work overseas.

"And they're good girls," he said, "better girls, I believe, than our country ever turned out before."

"They're certainly better than the old ladies, male and female, who spy on them on the pretense of looking after their morals."

"One of these old ladies, an elderly New York broker, was talking to a canteen girl in Paris."

"Yes," the girl said, "I adore my work. The only thing I complain of is the irregularity of the mails."

"The old broker heaved a sigh and tried to take the girl's hand, but she drew it away."

"Ah, yes," he said, "the males were irregular, too, in my young days. As we used to put it—Never trust a female too far nor a male too near."

Preserves the Trees.

"Probably the most highly prized tree in the world is the avocado pear tree in California, which returns an annual income of \$3,000, and was once insured for \$30,000. As to trees in general, immediate money returns supersede, in most minds, sentiment or natural beauty. A 'landscape robbery' which caused the 'robbers' no compunctions, was the cutting of a splendid yellow poplar which for several generations had been a landmark among the Cumberland hills. The forest monarch, yielded over 7,000 feet of first-class lumber, valued at \$11,000. There was no one to cry 'Woodman, spare that tree!' whose protest counted against its destruction. The countryside has lost a natural beauty never to be restored; the owner has money in his pocket. As Joyce Kilmer wrote: 'Only God can make a tree.'"

The tradition of the East, which so often has proved full of historical meat, sets down Damascus as the oldest city on earth still inhabited by man. It was a capital before Abraham. The old Babylonian ideograph indicating Damascus has been translated "fortress of the Amorites," and there is ample reason for admitting this rendering. Thus Damascus becomes the stronghold of the legendary first inhabitants of Syria reputed to have been as tall as cedars, and so set down in the Bible. Their name occurs in the first Babylonian inscriptions, dating back to 2100 B. C.

Homes Help Community.

A wealthy Englishman once said that a good home was an institution for civilizing a community, and instead of surrounding his own house by a high hedge, like many in the vicinity, he built about it an open fetter, so that whoever passed, rich or poor, might enjoy the beauty of house and lawn and garden. It is a good thing for the girls of today who are to be the home makers of tomorrow, to grow up with the idea that the home owes something to the community.

Persia's Favorite Beverage.

The great beverage in Persia is sherbet, which is plentifully supplied and of which there are many varieties—from the bowl of water with a squeeze of lemon to the clear concentrated juice of any sort of fruit to which water is added to dilute it. Only among the rich and fashionable are glasses used; in all other cases sherbet is served in china bowls and drunk from deep wooden spoons carved in pearwood.

Relic of a Lost Race.

At Casa Grande, near Florence, Italy, is the ruin, with walls still standing, of what probably was the last communal house erected on the southern plains by a race of pueblo builders, that probably had departed elsewhere or had been merged with wilder tribes even before the passing to the westward of the Aztec south-bound pilgrimage about the year 1300.

Not Adapted for Pet.

The average-sized Alaska walrus is as big as an ox and often weighs more than a ton. A walrus was recently killed by some whalers near Point Barrow whose head weighed 80 pounds, and skin, including flippers, 500 pounds. The animal had a girth of 14 feet, the skin was from half an inch to three inches in thickness, and the blubber weighed 500 pounds.

Reason for Term "Royal."

Naturally there is a good reason for calling golf a royal game, inasmuch as it was the favorite sport of the kings and queens of Scotland and England, as well as the dukes and earls in ancient times. King Charles, King James I, II, VI, Queen Mary of Scots and others were pre-eminent among the lovers of the recreation.

Famous Kaiser Wilhelm Canal.

The Kaiser Wilhelm canal was officially opened June 21, 1895. It is a little more than 61 miles in length, and for the easterly part of its course follows the line of the old Elbe canal. It is 157 feet wide at the water surface and 72 feet at the bottom, with a depth of 29 feet 6 inches. The total cost of the canal was \$39,000,000.

Friendship and Freedom.

There can be no friendship where there is no freedom. Friendship loves a free air and will not be penned up in strait and narrow enclosures. It will speak freely and act so, too; and take nothing ill where no ill is meant; nay, where it is, 'twill easily forgive, and forget, too, upon small acknowledgments.—Penn.

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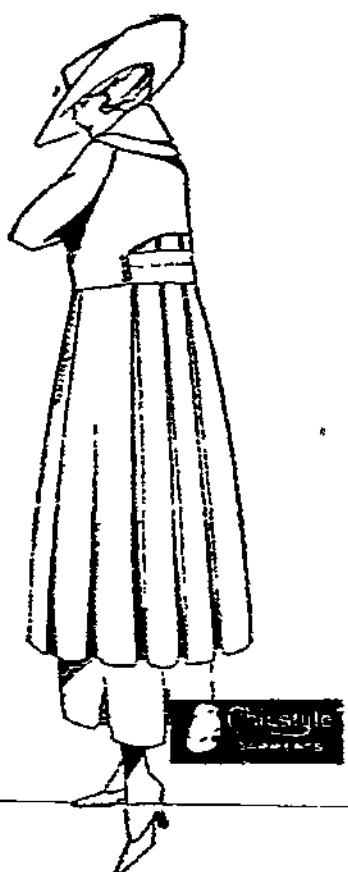
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TODAY IS REGISTRATION UNDER NEW DRAFT LAW

Continued from page 1.

Age in years, as 35. State your today in years only, disregarding this or days.

Date of birth, as, October 12, 5.

These questions have to do with race. The registrant is required to state whether he is white, negro, or Indian.

These questions have to do with citizenship. The registrant is required to state whether he is native born, naturalized, citizen by father's naturalization, or an alien, declarant non-declarant. The children of sons who have been duly naturalized under the laws of the United States, being under the age of 21 at time of the naturalization of their fathers, are, if dwellers in the United States before attaining their majority, considered citizens thereof.

If not a citizen of the United States of what nation are you a citizen or subject?

Present occupation. Simply state your job right now.

Employer's name. The name of person or firm employing you.

Place of employment or business, as, Hazel-Atlas Glass Co., 331 10th Main street, Washington, Washington County, Pa.

Nearest relative. If married, state address of your wife; if not, the name of your nearest relative.

Address of the above.

The necessary answers above have been filed out the registrant must name in full to the card.

On the reverse side of the card are certain facts that will serve to identify the registrant as height, build, color of hair, eyes and skin, deformities, as scars, etc., etc. These facts must be filled out by the registrant. This is not a test of the person's ability to read, but the person is required to read the card and fill out the facts as they are. The card will be used by the military authorities.

A Mother Proves The Claims of Ten-Herbs Man

Pittsburgh Lady Tells How Ten-Herbs Restored Her Son to Good Health

HAD STOMACH TROUBLE

Among the many local people who are endorsing Ten-Herbs, the new herbal stomach remedy, is the mother of one of Pittsburgh's prominent athletic young men.



Mrs. Jennie Cook of No. 6216 Butler street, Pittsburgh, who has a wide acquaintance in this city, is glad to tell how her son was relieved and relates the following interesting story:

"My son, who has been very prominent in all outdoor sports, was troubled with his stomach for some time; he could not digest his food, and it fermented in his stomach and caused him to vomit. He was badly run down, and his health was suffering. I had heard of Ten-Herbs, and I bought a box. I gave him a few doses, and he was relieved. He was able to resume his athletic life, and he is now as healthy as a horse. I am a great endorser of Ten-Herbs."

BIG PRICE FOR IMPROVED ROAD

But one bid was received by the county commissioners of Allegheny county on Tuesday for the Round Hill road improvement in Forward township, leading from Round Hill church to Douglass station a distance of 12,500 feet. It was the third time the commissioners had opened bids for the work, as two previous successful bidders had thrown up the contract. The first time it was let to J. F. Howley & Co., for \$35,956. Last October it was let to Ray Peterson, who was to begin where Howley left off, and at the Howley figures. He never did any work on the road, and finally told the commissioners he would not complete the contract. The bid on Tuesday was submitted by the Thomas Cronin company, and the price was \$152,648. The award was not made at the time.

John Lentz of Camp Gordon is spending a ten day furlough with his mother Mrs. Gertrude Lentz of McKean avenue.

Estate of William E. McCrory Deceased

In the Orphans' Court of Washington County, Pennsylvania. No. 3 August Term, 1918, A. A.

Auditor's Notice.

The undersigned having been appointed Auditor by the Court in the above estate, to ascertain claims and claimants, pass upon the same and make distribution of the balance in the hands of the accountant according to law, hereby gives notice that he will attend to the duties of said appointment at his office, Room 262, Brown Building, Washington, Pa., on Friday, September 20th, 1918 at 1 o'clock P. M., when and where any person interested may attend.

R. James Kneer Auditor.

September 3, 1918.

FOUNTAIN OF YOUTH

It is not a myth but a reality and a fountain of youth in perfect functional health. Women who want to get old gracefully, who want to combat all organic weakness and degeneration, and who want to avoid such conditions resort to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, nature's own rest and nerve tonic to restore health. For three generations women of America have benefited from this successful remedy and have found no other medicine to equal it.

JOHN H. WIPER COMMITS SUICIDE

John H. Wiper, for many years an Alderman in the First ward of Monongahela, committed suicide Tuesday afternoon by shooting himself through the left eye. His body was found at 6 o'clock in his office at the corner of Main and First streets, Monongahela. No one heard the shot, the first intimation of the deed being the finding of the dead body of the Alderman lying in his office. The body was taken to the Bebout & Yohe morgue, where it was prepared for burial.

Some years ago, while employed as a brakeman on the Monongahela Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad, he was run over by a train and both legs taken off. Since that time he has been employed as a watchman at the Main street crossing in Monongahela, to which some years ago he added the duties of Alderman, to which he was elected for several terms. No reason is assigned for the rash deed.

He is survived by his widow and family and a number of relatives who live in North Dakota.

ENGINEERS SECURE AN ADVANCE IN WAGES

The differences between the marine engineers and the coal operators on the Monongahela river has been amicably adjusted, according to reports from Pittsburgh. By terms of the agreement it has been decided to grant the engineers an increase of \$10 per month. The agreement was signed by twelve coal companies and will affect more than 80 engineers. The steamers Volcano and Sam Barnum, which have been tied up at the bank on account of the engineers' demands, will now likely be placed in commission in the local towing trade.

If Your System Is Poisoned

with acids, you cannot know what it is to be healthy. Best call and see me next visit.



Acids poison the blood and are the source of many diseases affecting the heart and arteries, skin and mucous surfaces, joints and muscles, and the brain and general nervous system. Some of these diseases are Rheumatism in various forms, Catarrh, Eczema, Pimples, Boils, Rashes, and other skin diseases, Malaria, Scrofula and General Blood Troubles. In order to restore yourself to a healthy condition you must drive these acids from your system and purify your blood.

ACT AT ONCE

Don't stay in doubt any longer about your health, and why you do not feel as good as you used to years ago or even a few months ago. You have said lots of times that you would "see the doctor" and yet you have not done so. Why not consult a specialist and get the very best at the start of your treatment and secured to stay cured.

Don't despair. Thinking possibly there is no relief for you. I want all who suffer to come and have a social chat with me. My consultation and advice are free and strictly confidential. If an examination convinces me your case is incurable, I will frankly tell you so. If, on the other hand, I find that your case can be restored, I will treat you successfully. Do not let money matters keep you from consulting me, as satisfactory arrangements can always be made for the payment of the same. My confidence is the fact that I am a regular and successful physician and my work has been tried and proven.

Dr. R. W. Mackenzie.

REMEMBER THE DAY
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FRIDAY ONLY EACH WEEK

NO POLICEMAN IN BELLE VERNON

Belle Vernon was without a policeman last week because the Burgess discovered the "cop" looking on at a crap game and refused to arrest the "gams." The cop wanted the Burgess to assist in the arrest, but the answer of the chief magistrate was a summary dismissal of the officer that evening when he reported at the station house.

NO ONE RESPONSIBLE FOR DEATH OF WOMAN

The coroner's jury, which inquired into the circumstances surrounding the suicide or murder of Mrs. Sadie Plummer Fields on the Fairhope pike about two weeks ago, returned a verdict finding her death was due to a gunshot wound from hands unknown.

A NEW RULING IN DRAFT REGULATIONS

Registrants who have reached their nineteenth birthday, but have not reached their thirty-seventh, will be the first called into the military service under the authority given the war department in the enlarged draft act. Formal announcement of this decision was made on Tuesday by Gen. Crowder, Provost Marshal.

Miss Jean Bowers attended a luncheon at McCreary's today.

Miss Nelle Ludwig of McKean avenue has returned from Cleveland, O., where she visited with relatives.

Miss Louise McCloskey of Canton, Ohio and G. W. Southman of Sellersville have returned to their homes after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. George D. Clark of Crest avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Steinbaugh, daughter Fehr and son Byron left Wednesday for Cumberland where they will visit with Thomas Sloan who will leave shortly to take up U. S. C. A. work in the army camps.

"War is uncertain business," says a high German military authority. Sure, heretofore the Germans have made it pay, but this is one time when the balance will be on the wrong side of the ledger for the Hun. He will have to pay for a lot of his devilry when peace terms are finally agreed upon.

Women That Men Like.

"What we men want for the most part," says Thackeray, "is a humble flatterer, smiling, child-loving, tea making being who laughs at our jokes however old they may be, coaxes and wheedles us in our humors and fondly lies to us through life. In other words the more essentially feminine woman is the more irresistibly does she appeal to and attract our sex."

Penalty for Disobedience.

Obedience is economy, disobedience, extravagance. He who disobeys the laws of nature has a doctor's bill to pay. He who disobeys the laws of his country has a lawyer's bill to pay.

Kitchen Oilcloth.

When oilcloth is used about the kitchen on shelves or around the sink, paste it on instead of tacking. A much better appearance is the result and it wears better.

What Does It.

Any long-haired poet is convinced that the only thing that stands between him and immortal fame is the careless editor's waste basket.

Spasmodic German.

The world may owe every man a living but most of us have a good deal of trouble in making the collection.

Ain't It Funny?

When we say a man lives under his income, we mean that he lives on it.

P. H. C. Meeting

The meeting of Charleroi Circle, P. H. C., will be held Wednesday evening September 11, in Old Fallowfield hall. After a short business session music and refreshments will be enjoyed. Members and their friends are urged to come and enjoy a social evening with us in our permanent new quarters.

Committee.

NOTICE

If you want to sell your house, for all it is worth, now is the idea time to do it. We are selling houses every week, and have dozens of people looking for homes at the right price. Send us your price and description this week, and in a few weeks later we will get your money for the property.

I. P. HEPLER,
411 Fallowfield Ave.,
Charleroi, Pa.

Classified.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, one lot 60 by 90 with concrete foundation if sold this week. A. L. Dubinsky, 413 Fallowfield Ave. 61-tf

FOR SALE—32 acre farm with six room house and necessary outbuildings. Also a small coal mine together with gas lease. Situated 2 1-2 miles from Charleroi and 2 miles from Belle Vernon and about 1 mile from Roscoe. A bargain. See Peoples Realty Company. 78-tf

FOR SALE—Five piece parlor suite and other furniture. Apply 825 Shady avenue. 82-tf-p

FOR SALE—Five passenger Ford, equipped with self starter. Kinnel brakes and speedometer. Four months light service. Will sacrifice for \$400 cash. Apply 408 East Chestnut street, Washington, Pa., phone 2136-W. 83-tf-p

FOR SALE—Royal typewriter in first class condition \$25 Fox Grocery Company, Charleroi, Pa. 83-tf-p

FOR SALE—About 60 feet of iron fence in good condition. Inquire 267 Mail office. 82-tf-p

FOR SALE—Two lots adjoining Hotel Wellington. Submit offers to owner. M. H. Israel, Rosemont, Pa. W-tf

FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire 107 McKean Avenue. 81-tf-p

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms use of bath for light housekeeping. No one with children need apply. 269 Mail office. 83-tf-p

WANTED—Eight men between the age of 35 and 45 with some selling ability for work in Monongahela valley and be home any night. Good salary and commission for night party. Apply to M. Borst 400 Fifth street, Charleroi, Pa. 41-tf

WANTED—Construction men to excavate foundation assist carpenter in setting forms, assisting in pouring concrete and set masonry. Skilled experience unnecessary. Apply any time to John H. Froelich, Construction Superintendent, Universal Rolling Mill Company, Bridgeville, Pa., or to Mike Mullen, U. S. Employment Service Permit—U. S. Employment office, Ross and Diamond Sts., Pittsburgh, Pa., between the hours of 9:30 and 11:30 A. M. 78-tf

WANTED—Street laborers. Apply to Jacob Hornell, Street Commissioner. 78-tf

WANTED—Machinery Apprentice Girls. Apply at once. J. W. Berryman & Son. 79-tf*

WANTED—Young man to work in store. A good opportunity for a young man who is bright and wants advancement. J. W. Berryman & Son. 82-tf

WANTED—Experienced cook lady or gentleman. Also experienced night waiter. Apply Casino restaurant. 83-tf-p

WANTED—Girls at the Keystone Cut Glass company. Good pay and steady work. Apply at the Keystone Cut Glass company, Lincoln avenue extension. 82-tf

WANTED—Young married couple wishes to rent furnished house in good locality. Can furnish good references. 262 Mail office. 82-tf-p

WANTED—Young married couple desire board and room with private family. Good references given. 264 Mail office. 82-tf-p

WANTED—Young lady wants in respectable family. One large or two small rooms for music studio, have own piano. Address 263 Mail office. 82-tf-p

WANTED—Young lady for clerical position with glass manufacturing concern. Apply in own handwriting to 265 Mail office. 82-tf

WANTED—Private family wants boarders and roomers. Apply Bell phone 89-J. 83-tf-p

WANTED—At once, house of 4 or 5 rooms in good location, or will take unfurnished rooms. References exchanged. Address Drawer C, Belle Vernon, Pa., or call Belle Vernon 146-J on Bell phone. 83-tf-p

LOST—Thursday night pair of gold lens glasses, celluloid ear piece. Return to 268 Mail office. 83-tf-p

LOST—Personal check for \$100.00, payable to J. W. Berryman & Son, No. 265 Mail office. 82-tf-p

Charles Landebush of Lock Port, has received word from his son John, who is a member of the Medical Corps, United States Army, in which he enlisted about three months ago, has arrived safely overseas.